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SUBJECT: ITALIAN AID TO EGYPT REPORTED

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1. CAIRO PRESS APRIL 7 REPORTS IN CONNECTION WITH SADAT VISIT GOI WILL OFFER GOE "TOKEN AID" OF \$40 MILLION REPAYABLE OVER LONG PERIOD AT LESS THAN ONE PERCENT INTEREST, 50,000 TONS OF WHEAT AND PARTICIPATION IN RAILWAY, PORT AND NAVIGATION PROJECTS. ACCORDING PRESS, \$40 MILLION LOAN TO BE USED FOR SUEZ CANAL AREA RECONSTRUCTION.

2. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE FURTHER INFORMATION WHEN AVAILABLE, ESPECIALLY ON PROVENANCE OF LOAN FUNDS. ITALIANS HERE TOLD US RECENTLY \$40 MILLION IN CREDITS ORIGINALLY WERE SLATED FOR SUMED PIPELINE (REFTEL). WE SUSPECT THIS IS SAME OBLIGATION. EILTS

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